

Cases of Child sexual abuse

† 4277. SHRI LAJPAT RAI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether girls and boys are brought from all over India especially from Gujarat, Maharashtra and Karnataka for having forcibly sex with the tourists;

(b) if so, whether Government have cautioned State Governments in this regard;

(c) whether in view of the cases of child sexual abuse, there is a proposal to conduct an inquiry into the functioning of orphanages and other such voluntary organisations located in various tourists centres; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI): (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Security threat to Manipur

4278. SHRI SATISH PRADHAN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news report which appeared in the Navbharat Times on 13th January, 2001 according to which there is external security threat to Manipur State like Jammu and Kashmir;

(b) if so, Government's views and reaction thereto; and

(c) whether Government have taken any specific action to ensure adequate safety of the people in Manipur?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI): (a) to (c) Yes, Sir. Government is aware of the situation prevailing in the North Eastern States including Manipur. Government of India have taken various steps to ensure

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